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Title of Invention: optimizing market and institutional risks in
Inventors (please provide full names): Foreign exchange hedging

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Search should be focused on the following concepts
VAR or value-at-risk calculator
optimization procedure or techniques of the
using the VAR calculator and selected ^{one} optimization procedure
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Selecting a range of ^{the} optimal (optimized) portfolios
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